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Box PATENT APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Re: New U.S. Patent Appln.
Washington, D.C. 20231 Our Ref: 3064NG/48834

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Koukichi MASUMOTO

entitled: **FIXING HOLDER FOR FIXING ELECTRONIC COMPONENT HAVING WIRE-SHAPED LEG PORTIONS TO PRINTED CIRCUIT BOARD, AND FIXING METHOD UTILIZING THE SAME**

Enclosed are:

1. Specification, including 7 claims (12 pages).
2. 3 Sheets of _____ Formal X Informal drawings showing Figs. 1a-1b, 2a-2b and 3a-3c.
3. X Declaration and Power of Attorney (**executed**).
4. Assignment of the invention to Funai Electric Co., Ltd.
5. Certified copy of Priority Document 11-111877 filed in Japan on April 20, 1999, the priority of which is being claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119 and 37 C.F.R. §1.55.
6. The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

Basic Fee		\$345/690 = \$690.00
Total Claims	<u>7</u> - 20 = <u>0</u>	x \$ 9/18 = \$
Independent Claims	<u>2</u> - 3 = <u>0</u>	x \$39/78 = \$
Multiple Dependent Claim Presented		\$130/260 = \$
Total Filing Fee		<u><u>\$690.00</u></u>

Two checks in the amount of \$690.00 for the filing fee and \$40.00 for the assignment recording fee are enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 05-1323 (Docket #3064NG/48834). A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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